

Episode 84: Midnight Sun

DO
YOU
TWO...

...HAVE
ANY
IDEA...

...
WHAT
YOU'RE
DOING
?





WE'RE
TALKING
ABOUT
ERWIN
SMITH.

THE
COMMAND-
ER OF THE
SURVEY
CORPS.



WHEE?

WHEE?

YOU'RE
TELLING ME
TO SIT HERE
AND LET HIM
DIE?





LOOK
PAST
YOUR
OWN
FEEL-
INGS.



WHY DID
YOU HESITATE
BEFORE HANDING
OVER THE
INJECTION?

MY
FEEL-
INGS
?!

A close-up of a man's face, looking slightly to the right. His face is covered in blood and dirt, particularly around the eyes and mouth. He has a somber expression.

...THAT
ERWIN WAS
ALIVE.

...I WAS
CONSIDER-
ING THE
POSSIBILI-
TY...

A close-up of a man's face, looking directly forward with a wide-eyed, shocked expression. His mouth is slightly open, and his skin appears pale and somewhat ashen.

...THAT
FLOCH
WOULD
BRING THE
DYING
COMMANDER
HERE.

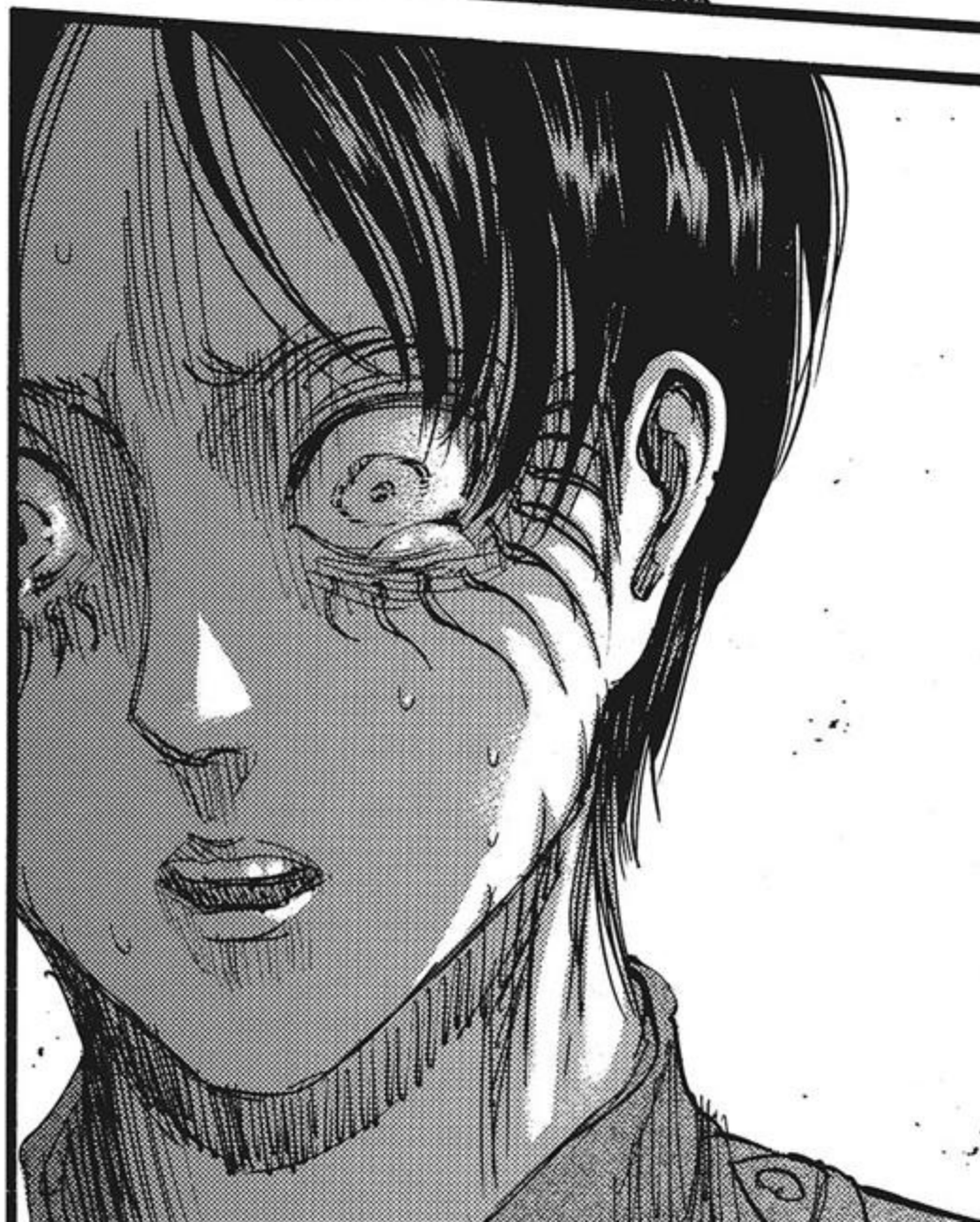
I DON'T
SEE HOW YOU
COULD EVER
HAVE
PREDICTED...

WE'RE
USING
IT ON
HIM.

BUT
NOW
THAT
ERWIN IS
HERE,

A close-up of a man's face, looking slightly to the left. His face is covered in blood and dirt, similar to the first panel. He has a somber expression.

YOU'RE
RIGHT.



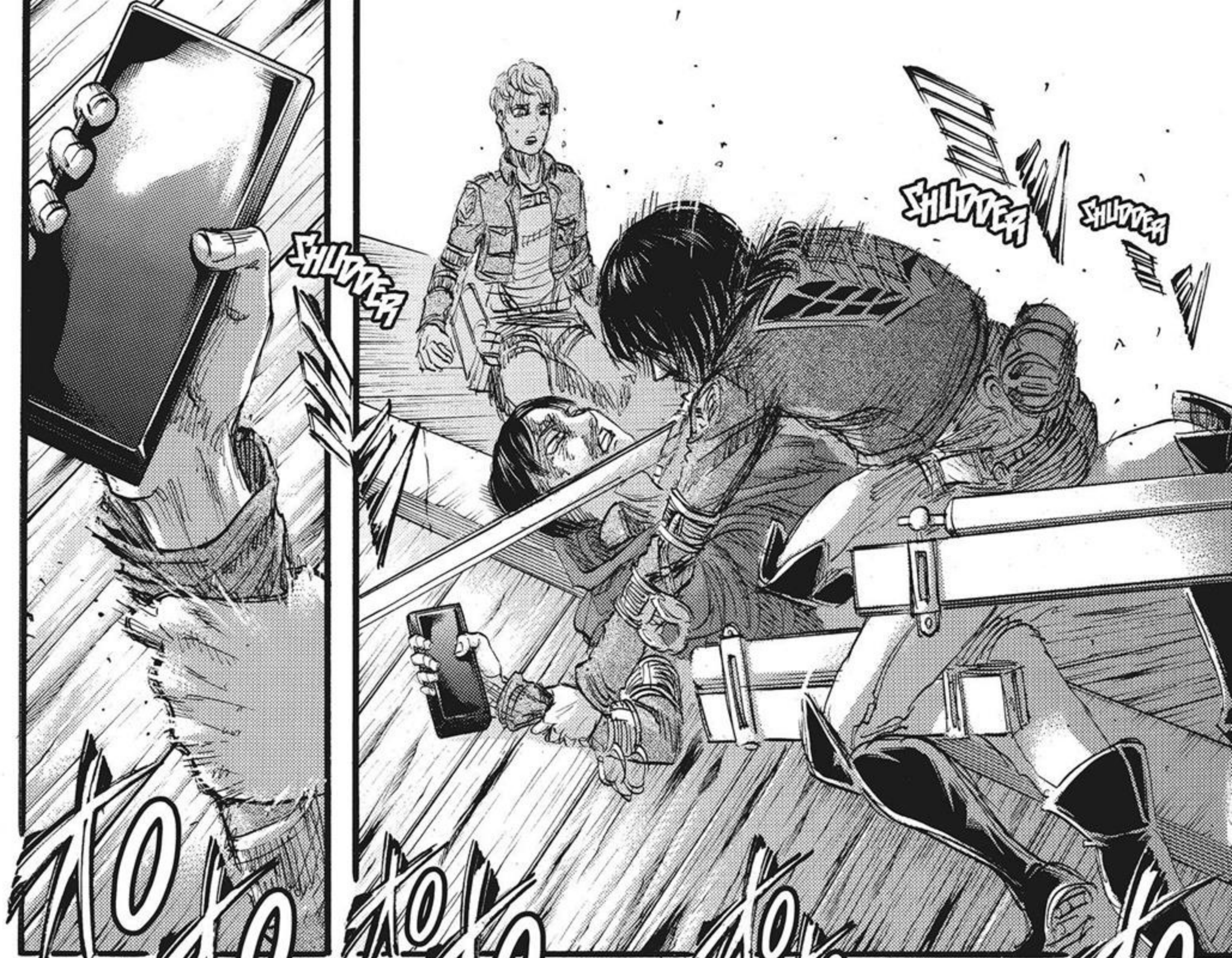




BOOM

HEY !!

NKH-



I COULD
TAKE IT
FROM
HIM BY
FORCE...

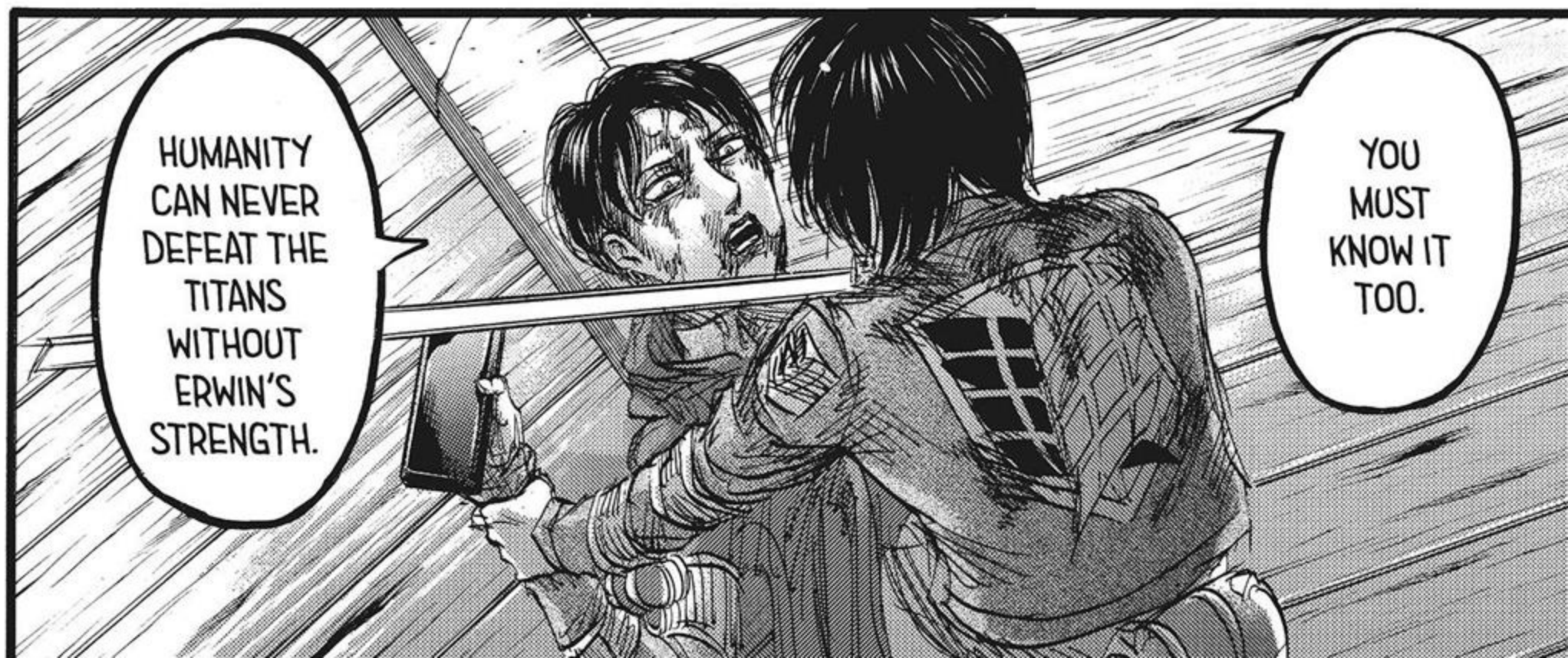


...RRGH!!

GRRR!!



...HE'S...
GETTING
WEAK?!



HUMANITY
CAN NEVER
DEFEAT THE
TITANS
WITHOUT
ERWIN'S
STRENGTH.

YOU
MUST
KNOW IT
TOO.





HASN'T THAT...

WE CAN'T WIN...

IF WE DON'T HAVE ARMIN...

EREN!!

...ALWAYS BEEN TRUE...?

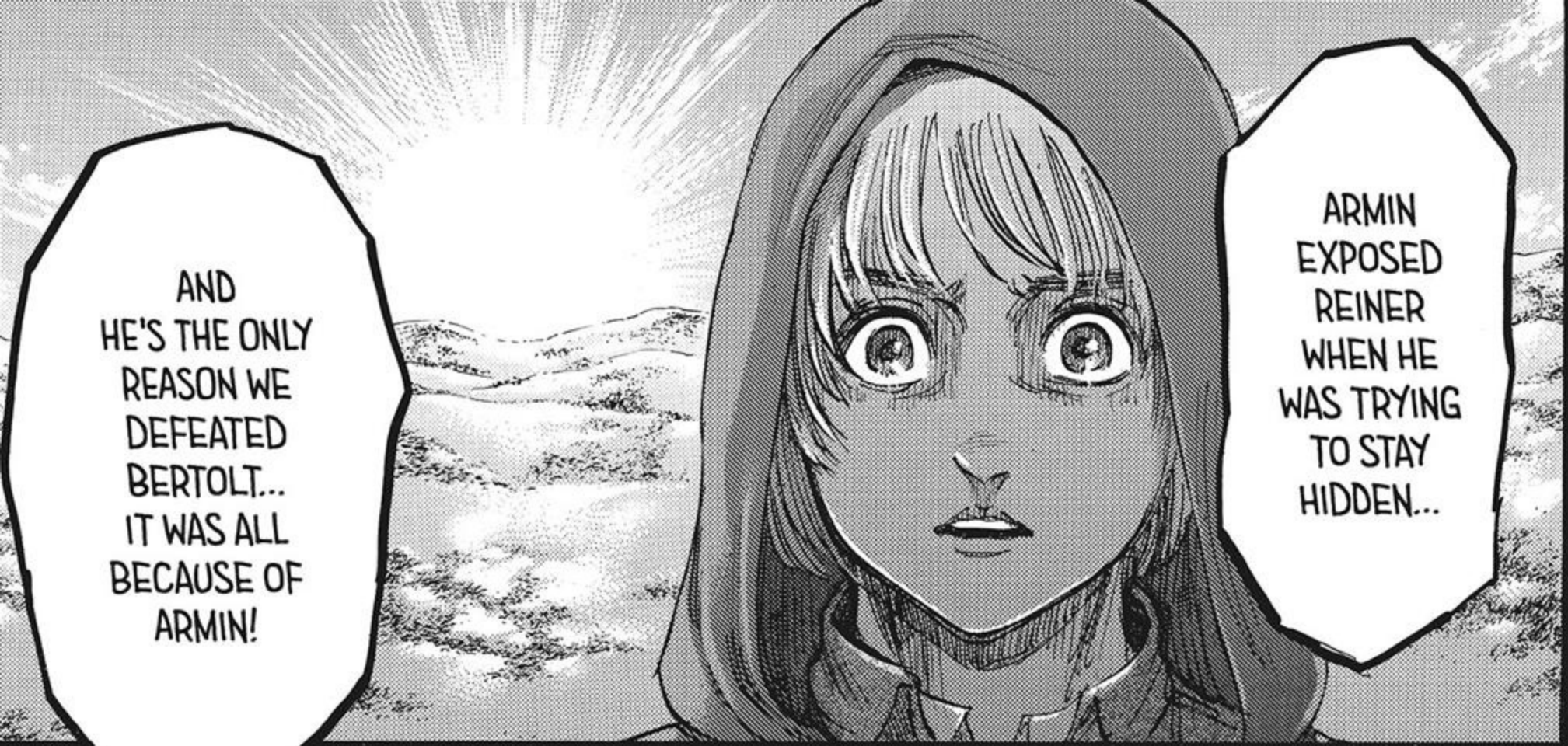
GRRRT



...AND CAME UP WITH THE PLAN TO ADVANCE THROUGH TITAN TERRITORY DURING THE NIGHT... ALL THANKS TO ARMIN.

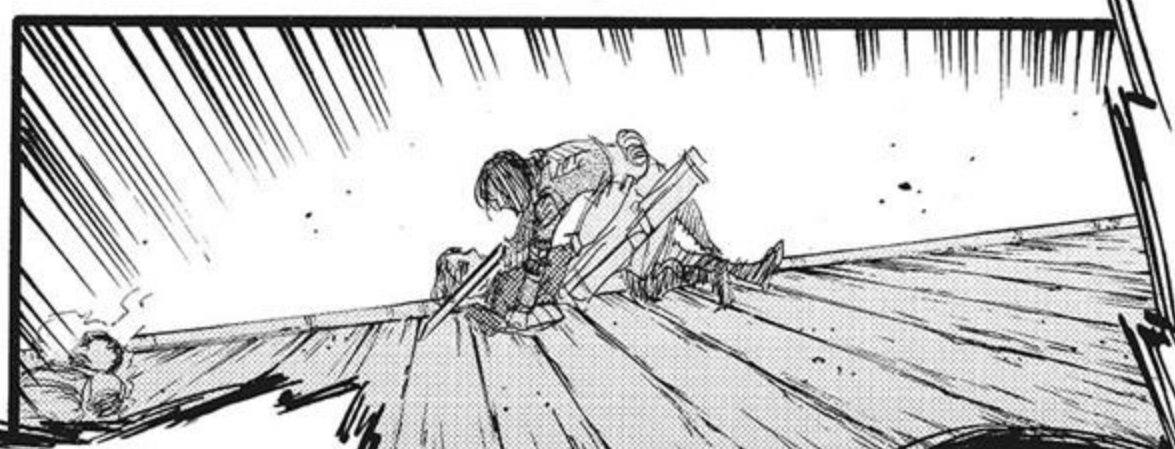
WE FIGURED OUT ANNIE'S TRUE IDENTITY...

WE USED THAT BOULDER TO BLOCK TROST DISTRICT AND SAVE IT...



AND
HE'S THE ONLY
REASON WE
DEFEATED
BERTOLT...
IT WAS ALL
BECAUSE OF
ARMIN!

ARMIN
EXPOSED
REINER
WHEN HE
WAS TRYING
TO STAY
HIDDEN...



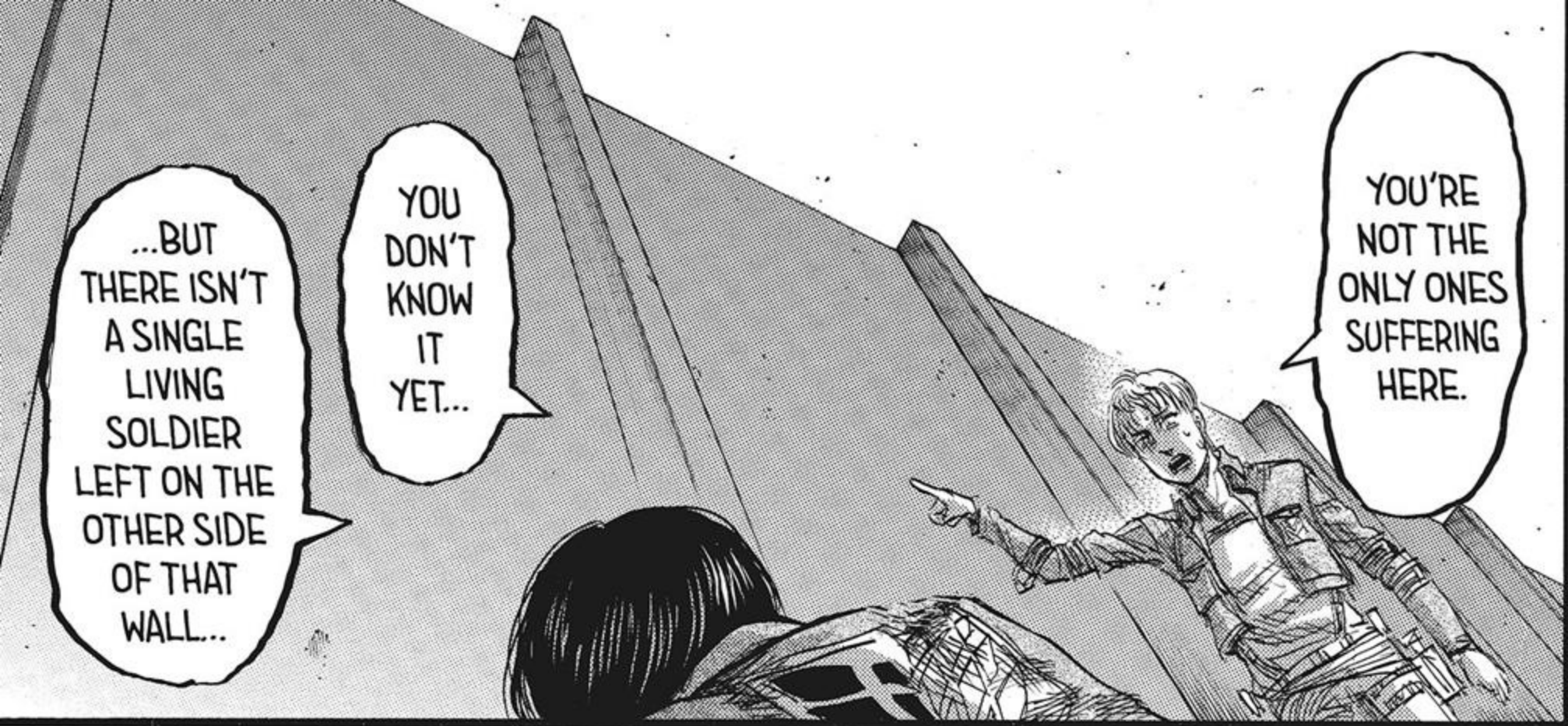
IT'S NOT
ME OR THE
COMMANDER
WHO'S
GOING TO
SAVE
HUMANITY
!!

IT'S
ARMIN
!!

ISN'T
THAT
RIGHT,
MIKASA
?!







...BUT
THERE ISN'T
A SINGLE
LIVING
SOLDIER
LEFT ON THE
OTHER SIDE
OF THAT
WALL...

YOU
DON'T
KNOW
IT
YET...

YOU'RE
NOT THE
ONLY ONES
SUFFERING
HERE.



THEY
WERE ALL...
SMASHED
TO A
PULP.

HE THREW
CRUSHED
ROCKS
THROUGH
THEM.



...KILLED
THEM
ALL.

THE
BEAST
TITAN
...



HE FIGURED
OUT A PLAN
THAT WOULD
LET HIM GET
HIS TEETH
INTO THAT
MONSTER'S
NECK...

...AND
CAR-
RIED
IT
OUT.

BUT
COMMAND-
ER ERWIN
WAS THE
ONE
EXCEP-
TION.



EVERY
ONE OF US
THOUGHT
WE WERE
GONERS
...



ALL
SO THAT
CAPTAIN LEVI
COULD
AMBUSH THE
BEAST.

HE USED
THE LIVES
OF EVERY
ONE OF US
RECRUITS
AS BAIT.

NONE OF
THEM DIED
THINKING HOW
NOBLE THEIR
SACRIFICES
WOULD BE...

MARLOE...

SANDRA.

GORDON.

SO,
ACCORDING
TO PLAN, WE
ALL ENDED
UP IN
PIECES.



I'M
SURE ALL
THEY
FELT, AT
THE
END...

...WAS
...FEAR.



...WHEN
I FOUND
COMMANDER
ERWIN STILL
BREATH-
ING...

I WAS
GOING
TO PUT
HIM OUT
OF HIS
MISERY...

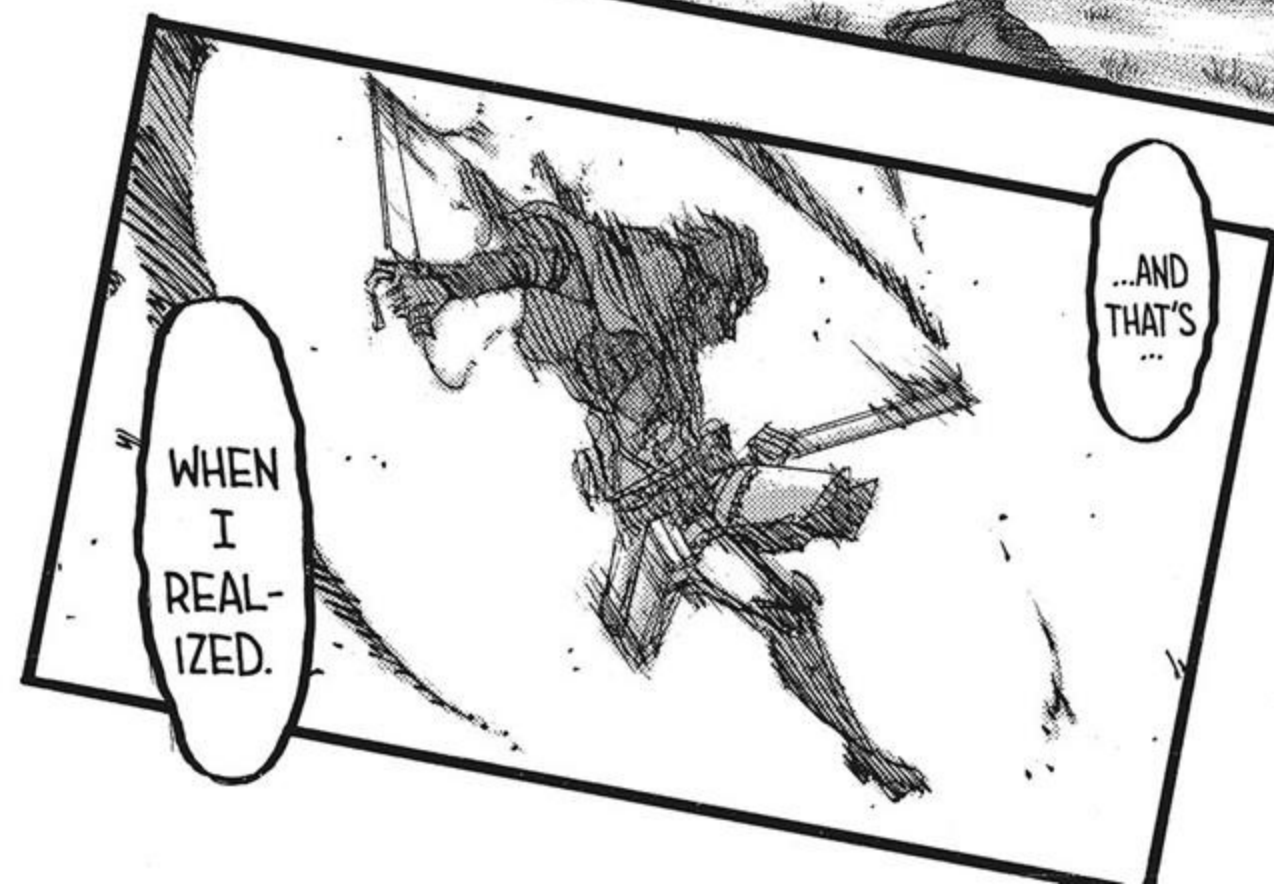




PERHAPS
HE DID NEED
TO SPEND
MORE TIME
IN THIS
HELL...

I
DECIDED
I WAS
TREATING
HIM TOO
GENTLY.

BUT
THEN
...



WHEN
I
REAL-
IZED.

...AND
THAT'S
...





...IS
THE
DEVIL
HIMSELF
!

THE
ONLY ONE
WHO CAN
DESTROY
ALL THE
TITANS
...



...IS
TO BRING
THE DEVIL
BACK TO
LIFE!!

AND MY
MISSION...



THAT'S
WHY, WHEN
ALL THE
OTHERS
DIED
BRAVELY...

...LIKE
A
COWARD,
I
LIVED
!!



SO
!!

DASH

GET
OUT
OF
MY
WAY
!!

STOP
IT!!

BAM







WE
STILL
NEED
ERWIN
!!



IF THE
COM-
MANDER
DIES,
TOO...!!

THE
SURVEY
CORPS
HAS
NEARLY
BEEN
WIPED
OUT!!



M
I
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WE CAN'T
ALLOW THE
FLAMES OF
HOPE TO BE
EXTINGUISHED
WITHIN THE
WALLS!!

HUMANITY
WILL
LOSE ITS
SYMBOL
!!



BUT OUR
BATTLE IS
NOWHERE
NEAR
OVER
YET!!

YES,
ARMIN IS
AN
INCREDI-
BLE
TALENT...

BUT...
ARMIN
COULD
DO THAT
TOO.



GH

AGH
!!

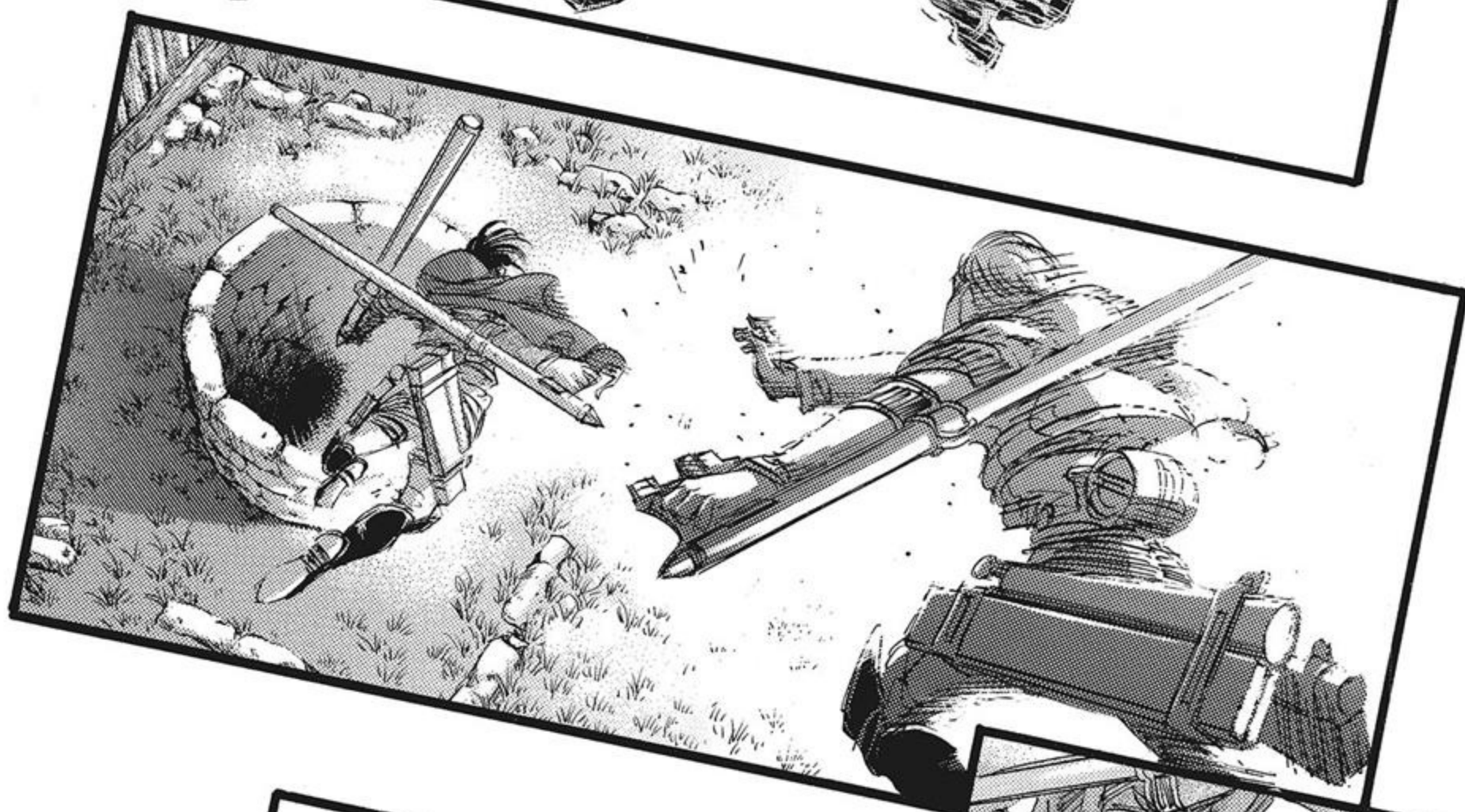
WE STILL
NEED
ERWIN'S
EXPERI-
ENCE AND
LEADER-
SHIP TO—

I HAVE
PEOPLE...
I WISH I
COULD
BRING
BACK,
TOO.

HUN-
DREDS
OF
THEM
...

EVER
SINCE I
JOINED
THE
SURVEY
CORPS...

...EVERY
DAY HAS
BROUGHT
A NEW
FARE-
WELL.





BUT...
YOU
UNDER-
STAND,
DON'T
YOU?

EVERYONE
YOU MEET
WILL BE PARTED
FROM YOU
ONE DAY.





I
KNOW IT'S
DIFFICULT
TO
ACCEPT.



IT'S
HARD
TO STAY
SANE,
LIVING
LIKE
THAT.



IT'S
PAIN-
FUL.

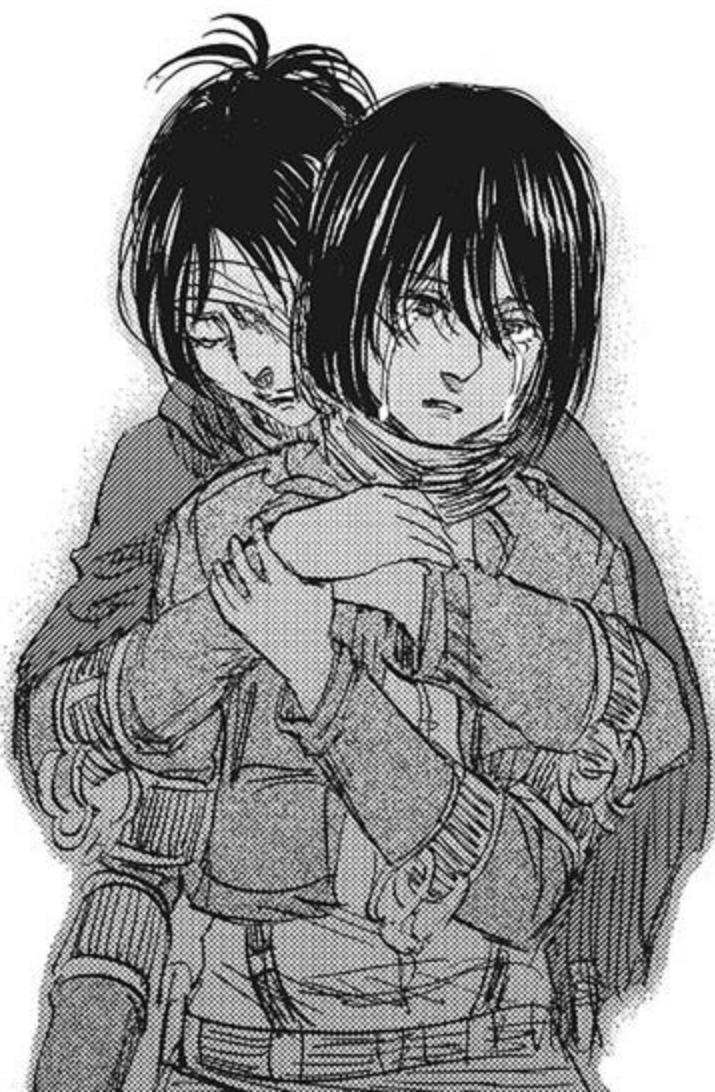
I
KNOW
THAT.



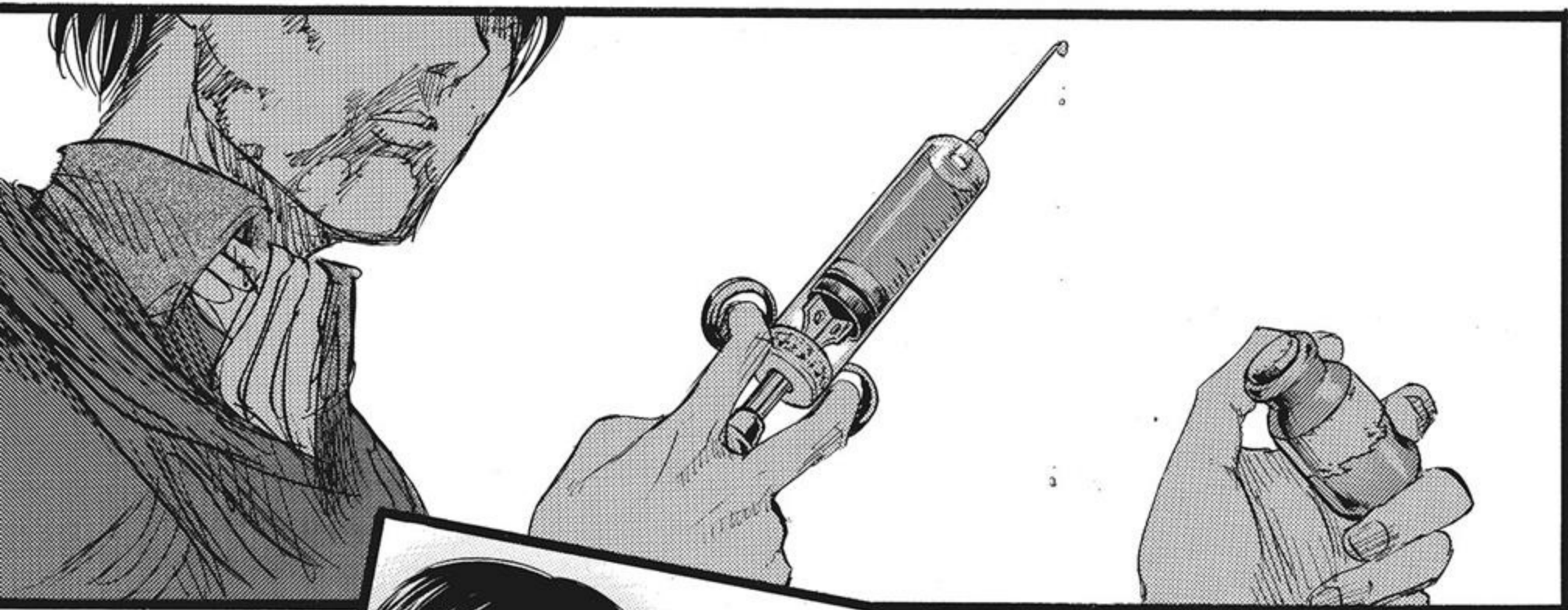
SO
PAIN-
FUL.



WE NEED
TO MOVE
FORWARD...



BUT,
EVEN
SO...





CRASH

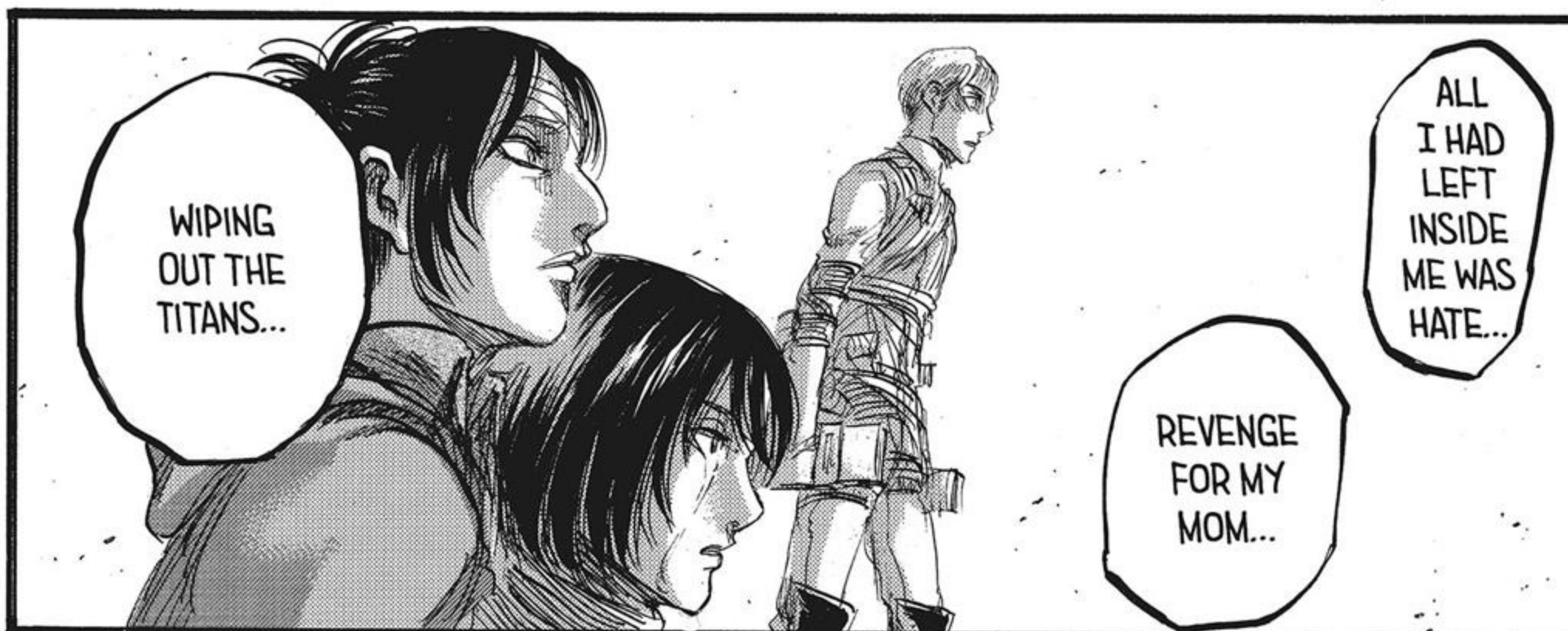
...CAP-
TAIN.



...OF
...THE
OCEAN
?

HAVE
YOU
HEARD
...







ERWIN
WILL
TURN
INTO A
TITAN
AND EAT
BERTOLT!

TROOPS,
CLEAR
THE
AREA!



DAMMIT...

DAMMIT...



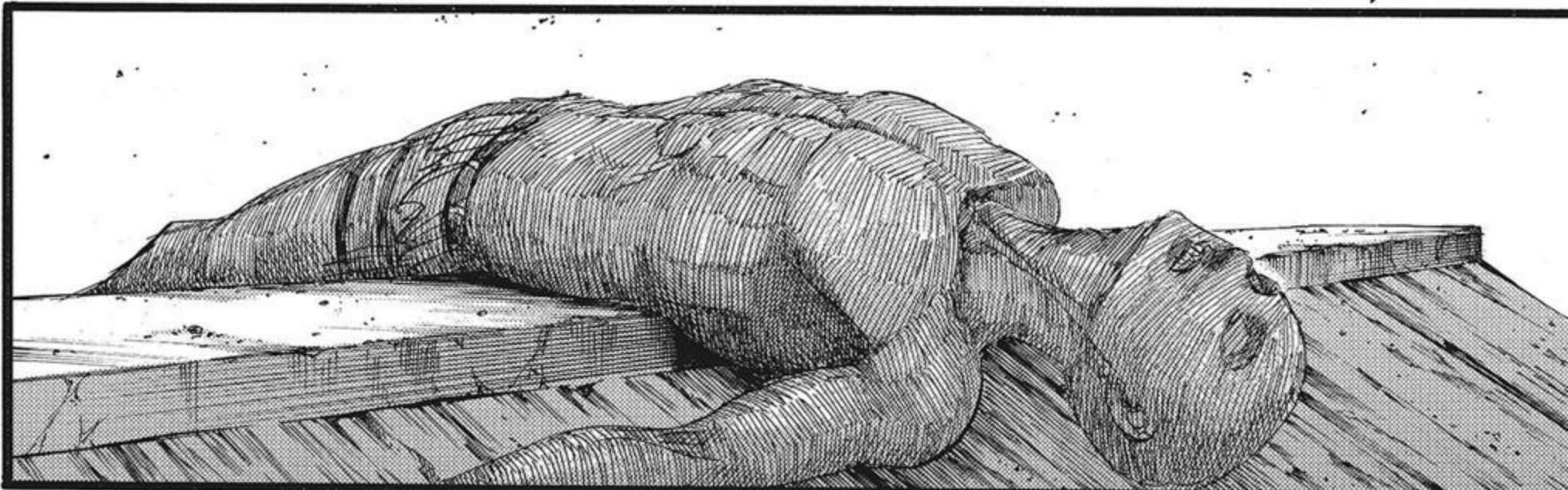
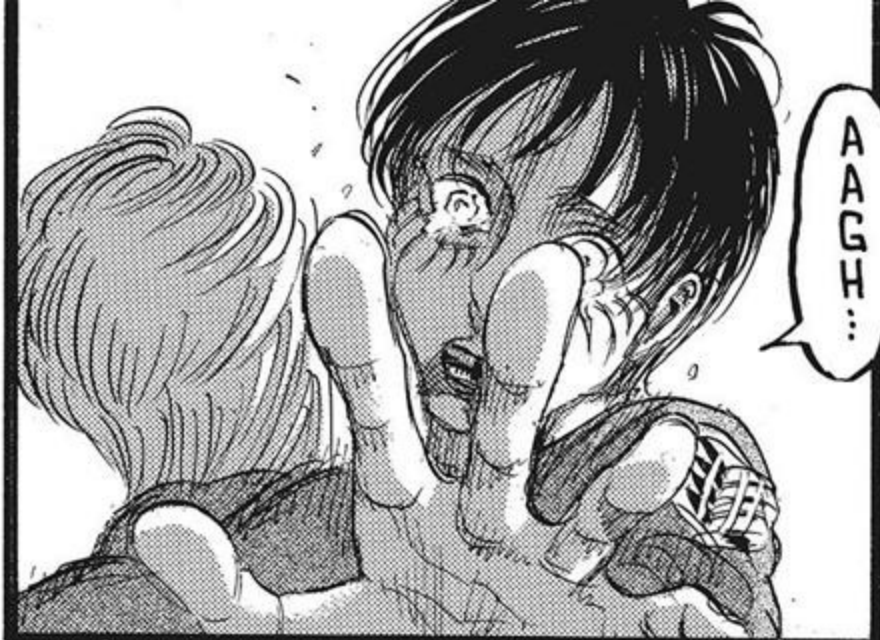
ARMIN...



SEE
YA...



LET'S
GO,
MIKASA.





THERE ARE
EVEN SPECIES
OF FISH YOU
CAN ONLY FIND
THERE!

SALT
WATER THAT
STRETCHES
ALL THE WAY
TO THE
HORIZON!



OH,
FINE.

I SWEAR
IT'S THERE!
JUST YOU
WAIT!

YOU
STILL
DON'T
BELIEVE
ME, DO
YOU?!

ZZSSSHH

...COMES
TRUE?

WHAT
HAPPENS
IF THAT
DREAM OF
YOURS...

AND I
WON'T
UNTIL IT
DOES.

I
DON'T
KNOW.

...33333

...TO THAT
BASEMENT...

I
JUST
...

FOOLS,
ALL OF
THEM...

...WANT
TO GO...

KLUNK

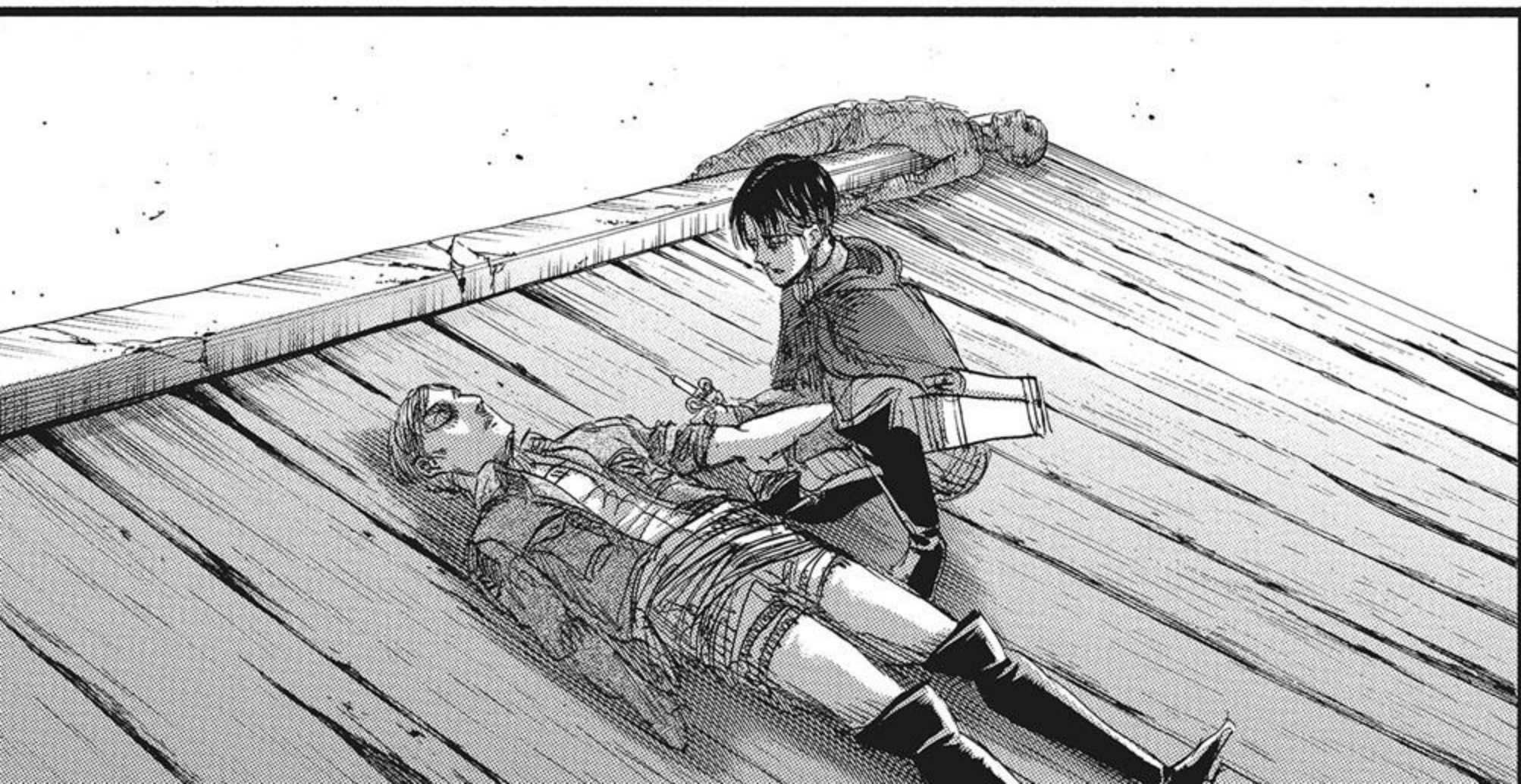
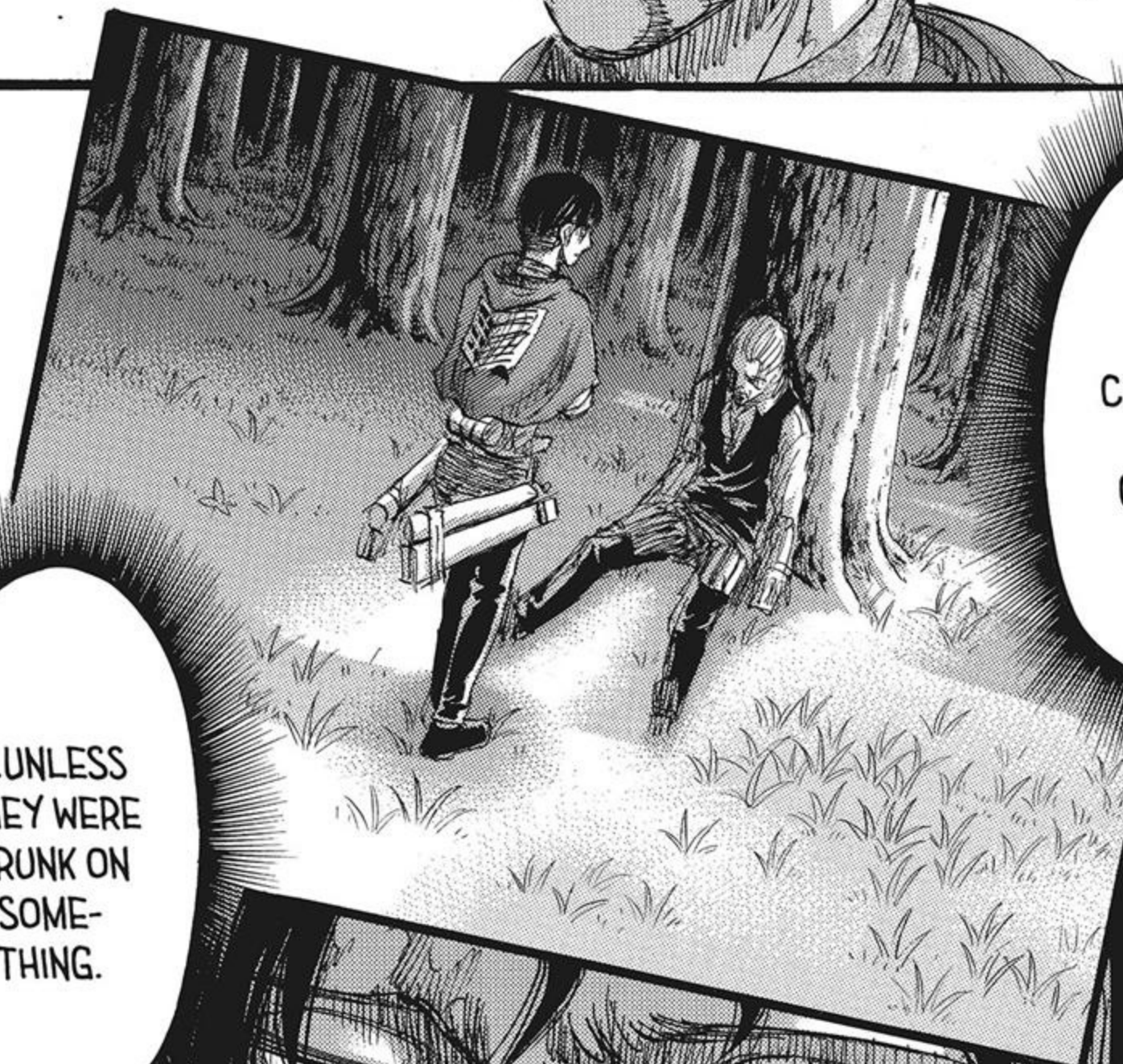
...THE
WAY
THEY
SCREAM
AND
FLAIL.

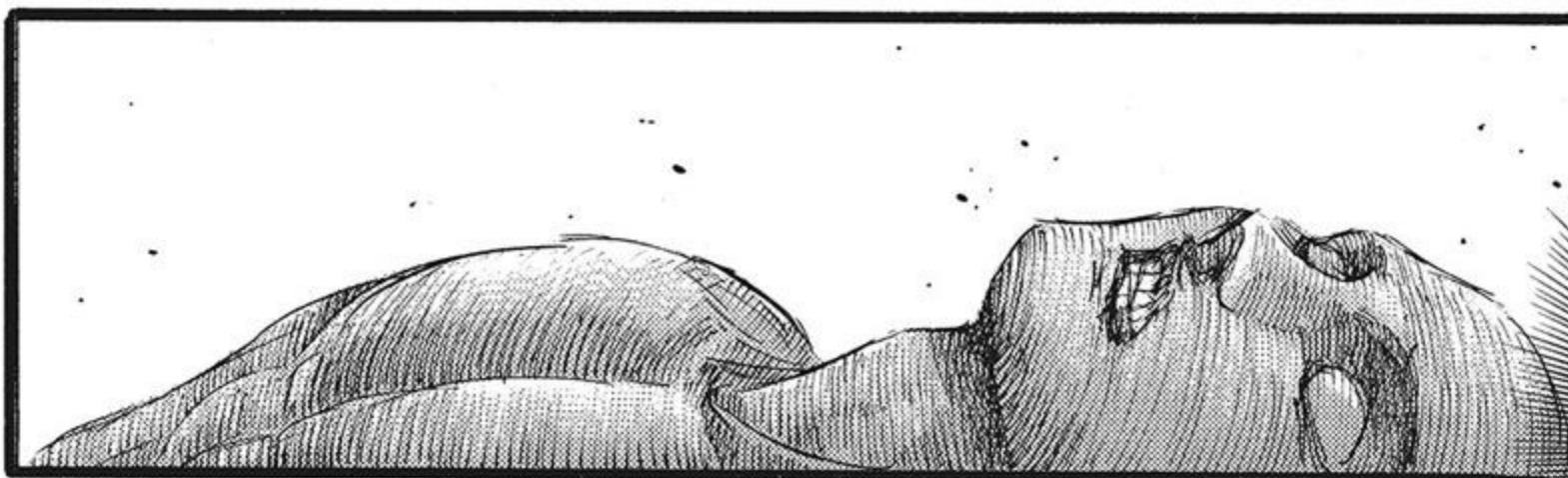
LIKE
LITTLE
KIDS...



THEY
COULDN'T
KEEP
GOING...

...UNLESS
THEY WERE
DRUNK ON
SOME-
THING.

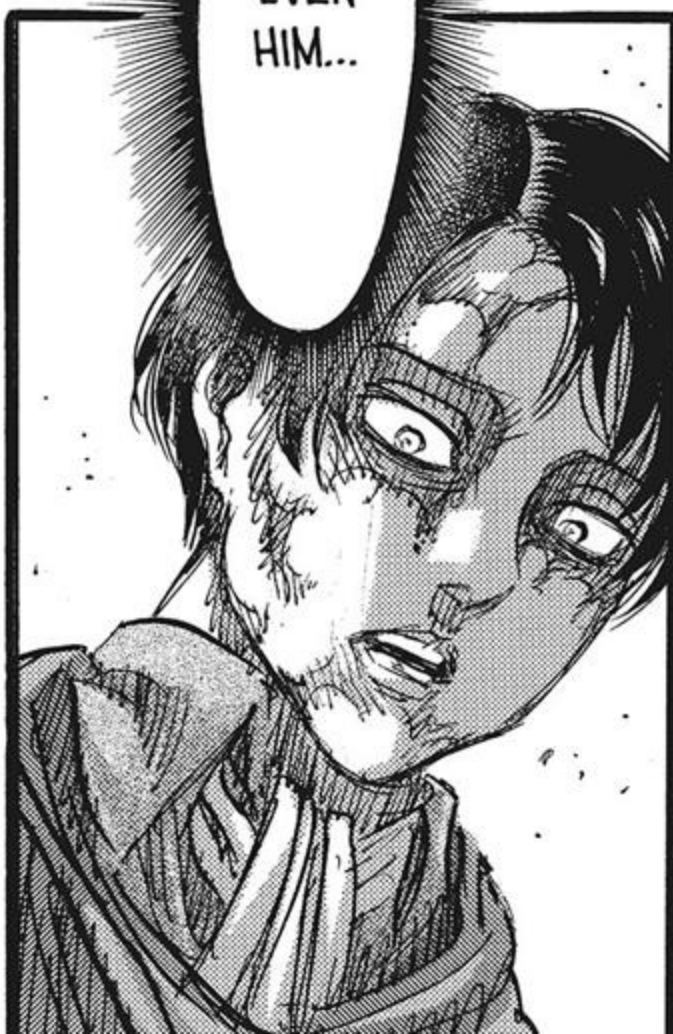




THEY
WERE ALL...
SLAVES TO
SOMETHING...



EVEN
HIM...





HOW'D
Y...FIND
OUT THAT
THEY...

TEACHER...

...DON'T
EXIST?



WHEEZ

WHEEZ



...ERWIN?!



LEAD THE RECRUITS STRAIGHT INTO HELL.

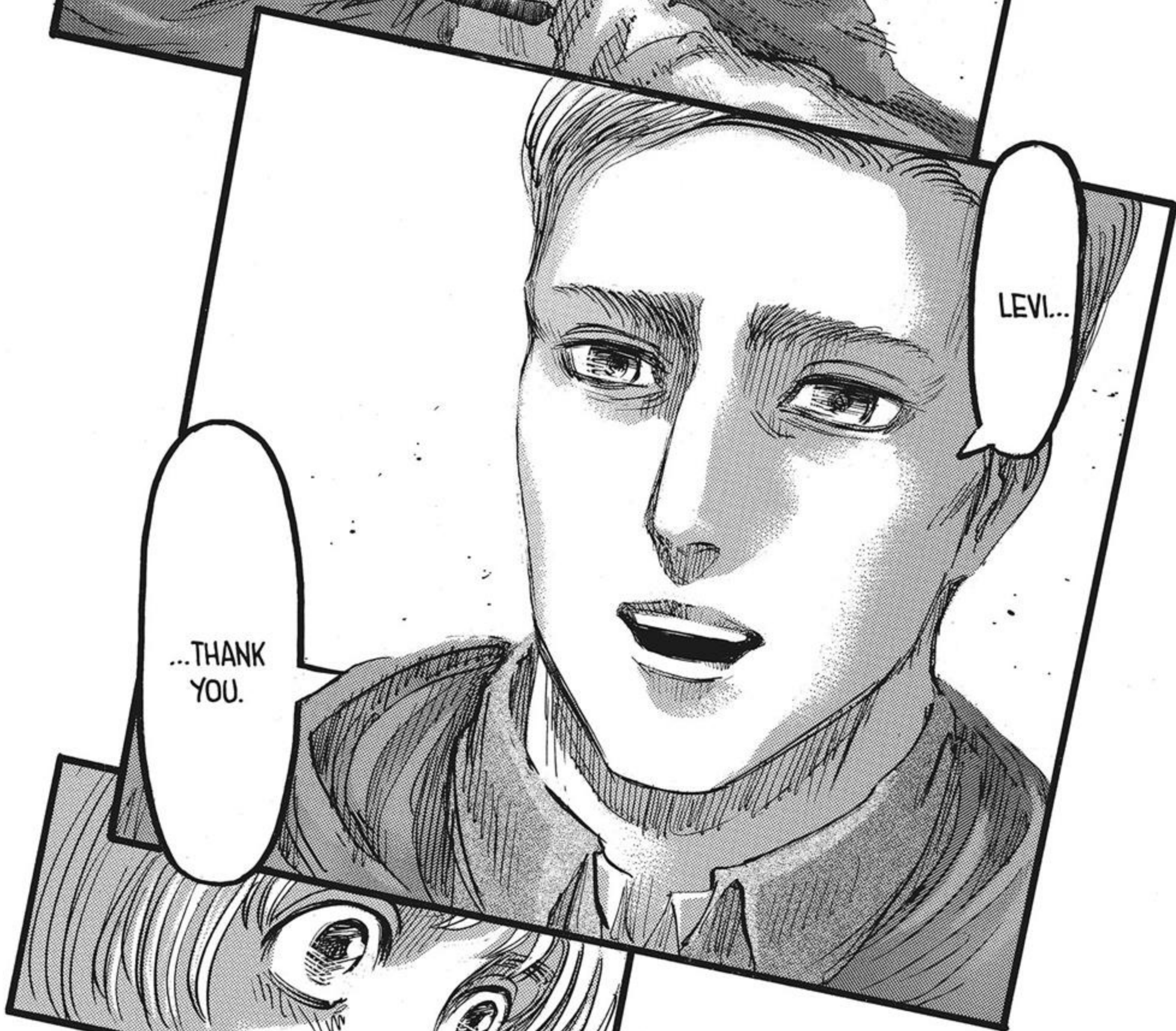
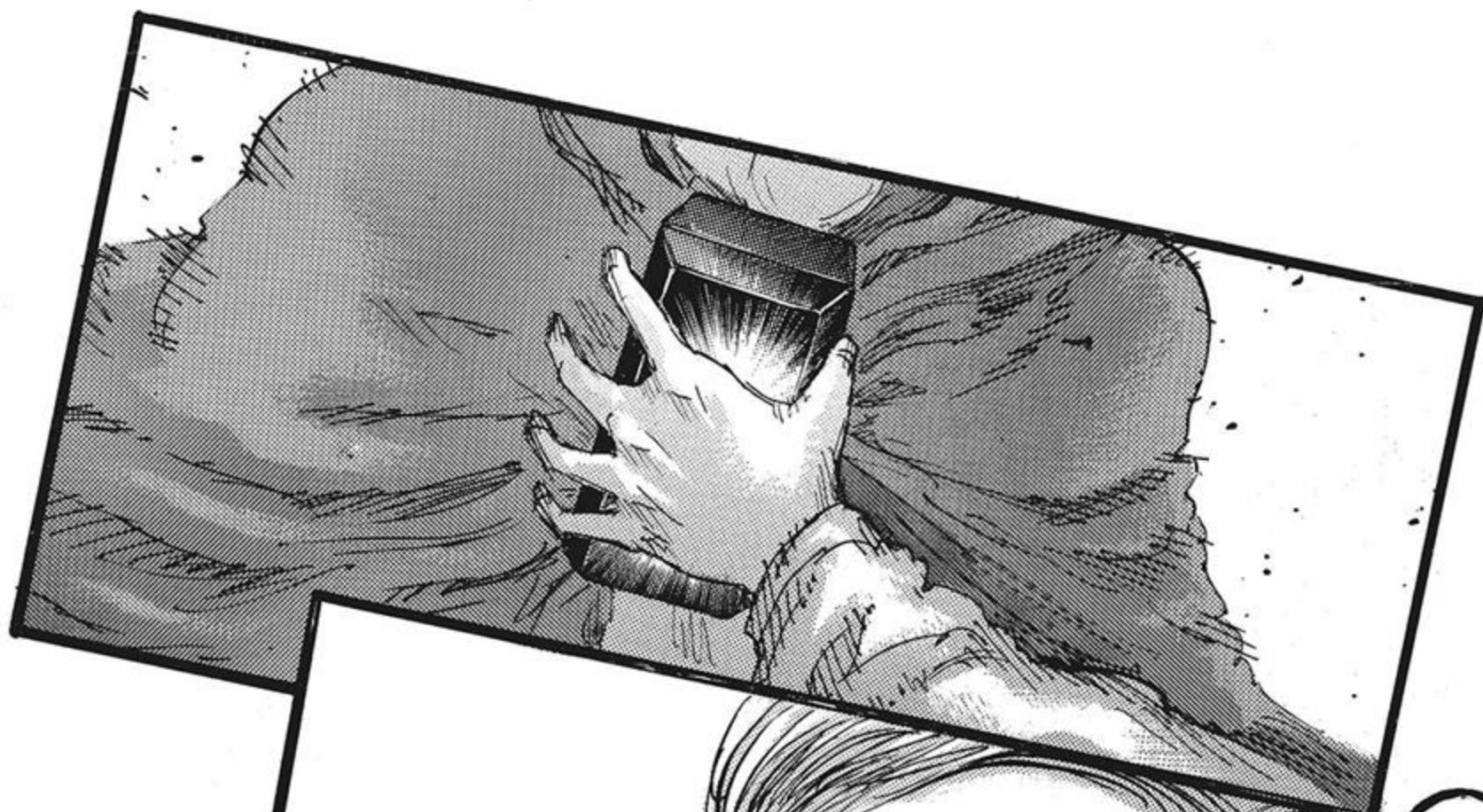
GIVE UP ON YOUR DREAMS AND DIE FOR US.

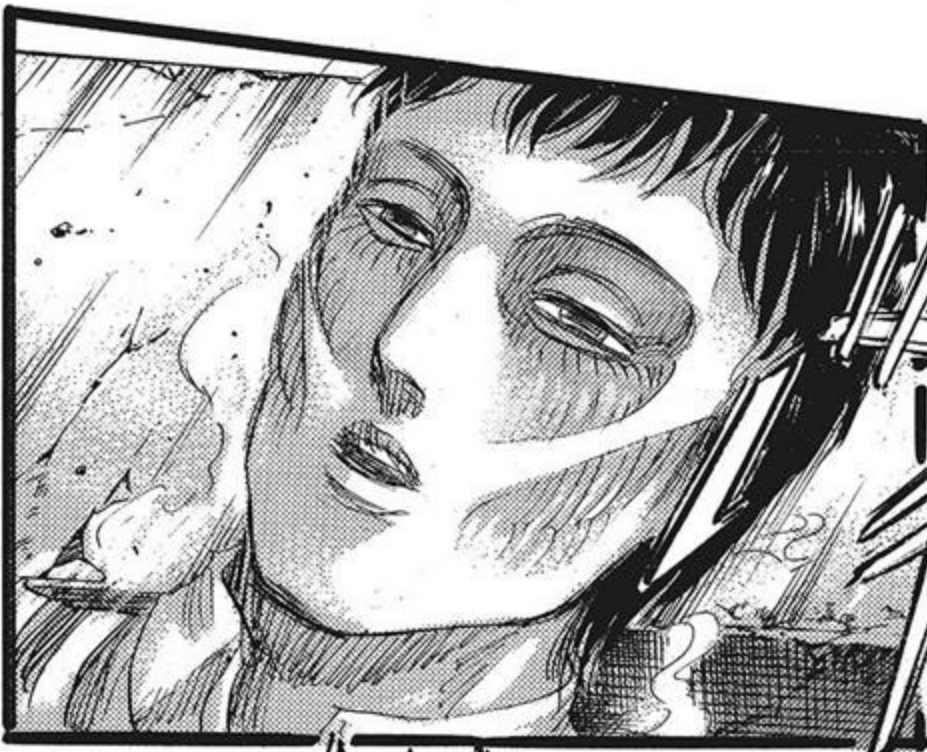


I'LL TAKE OUT...

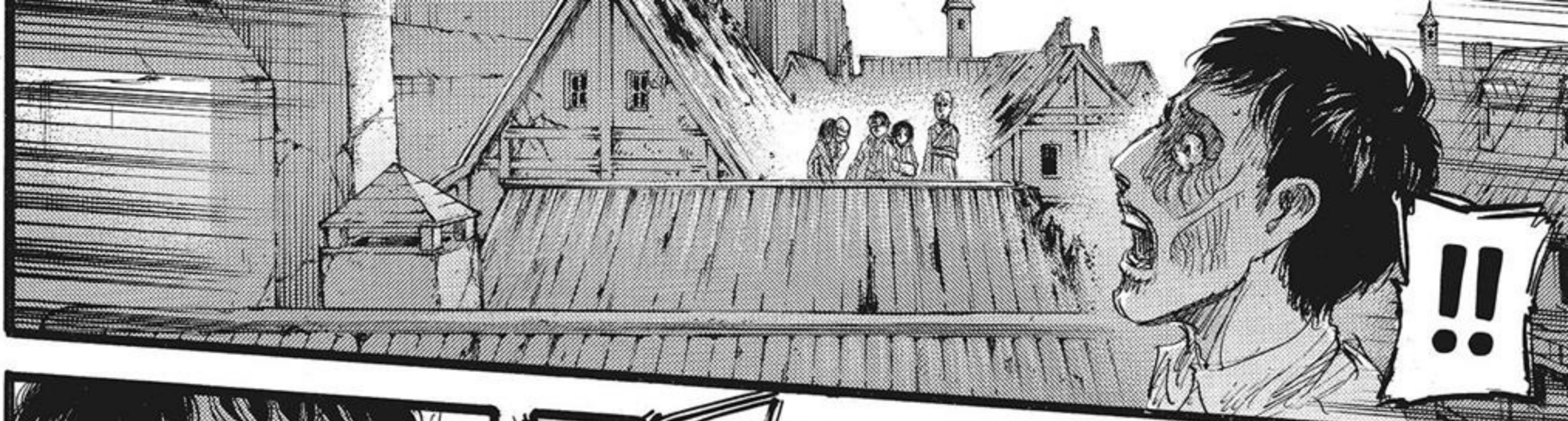
...THE BEAST TITAN.

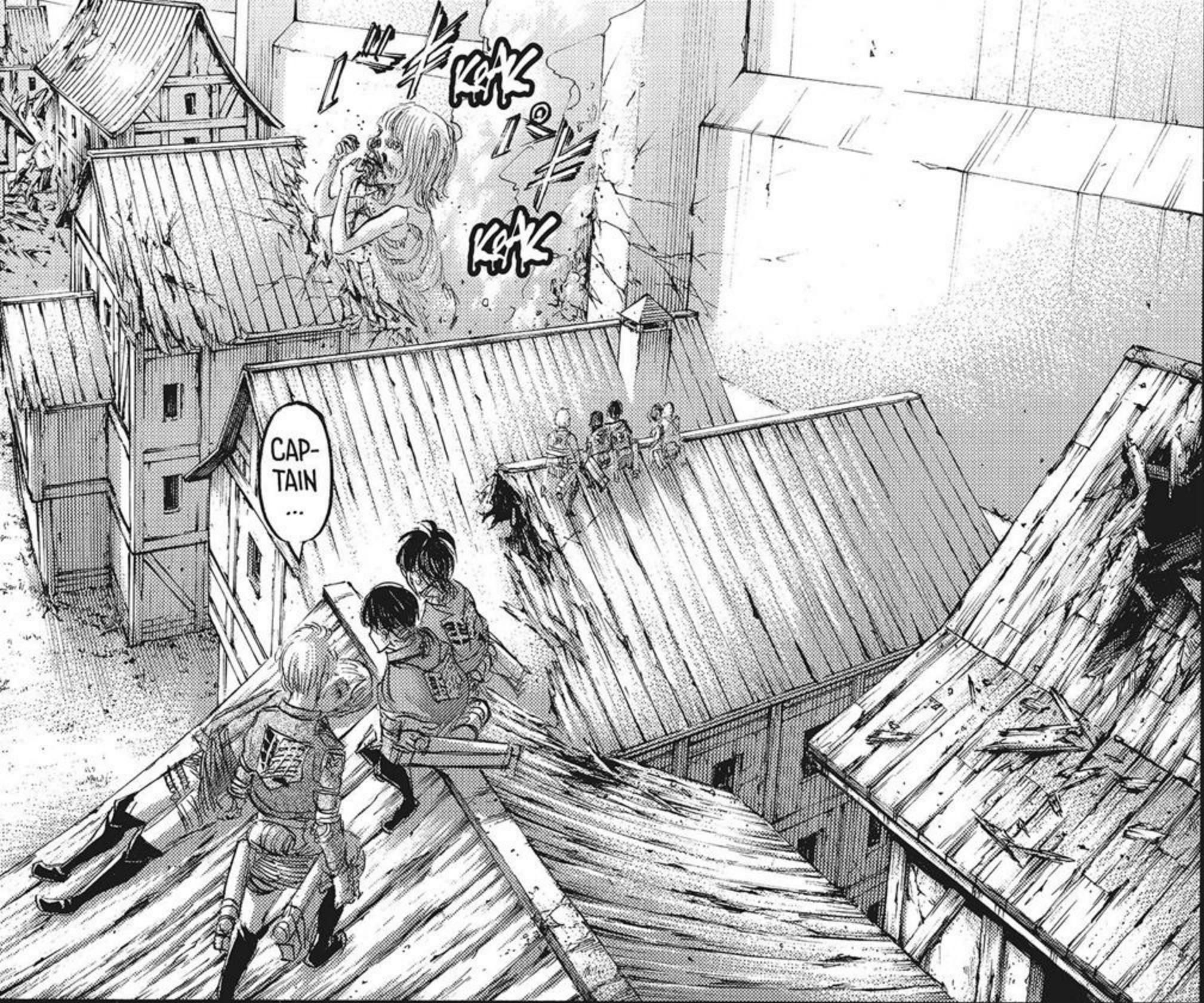


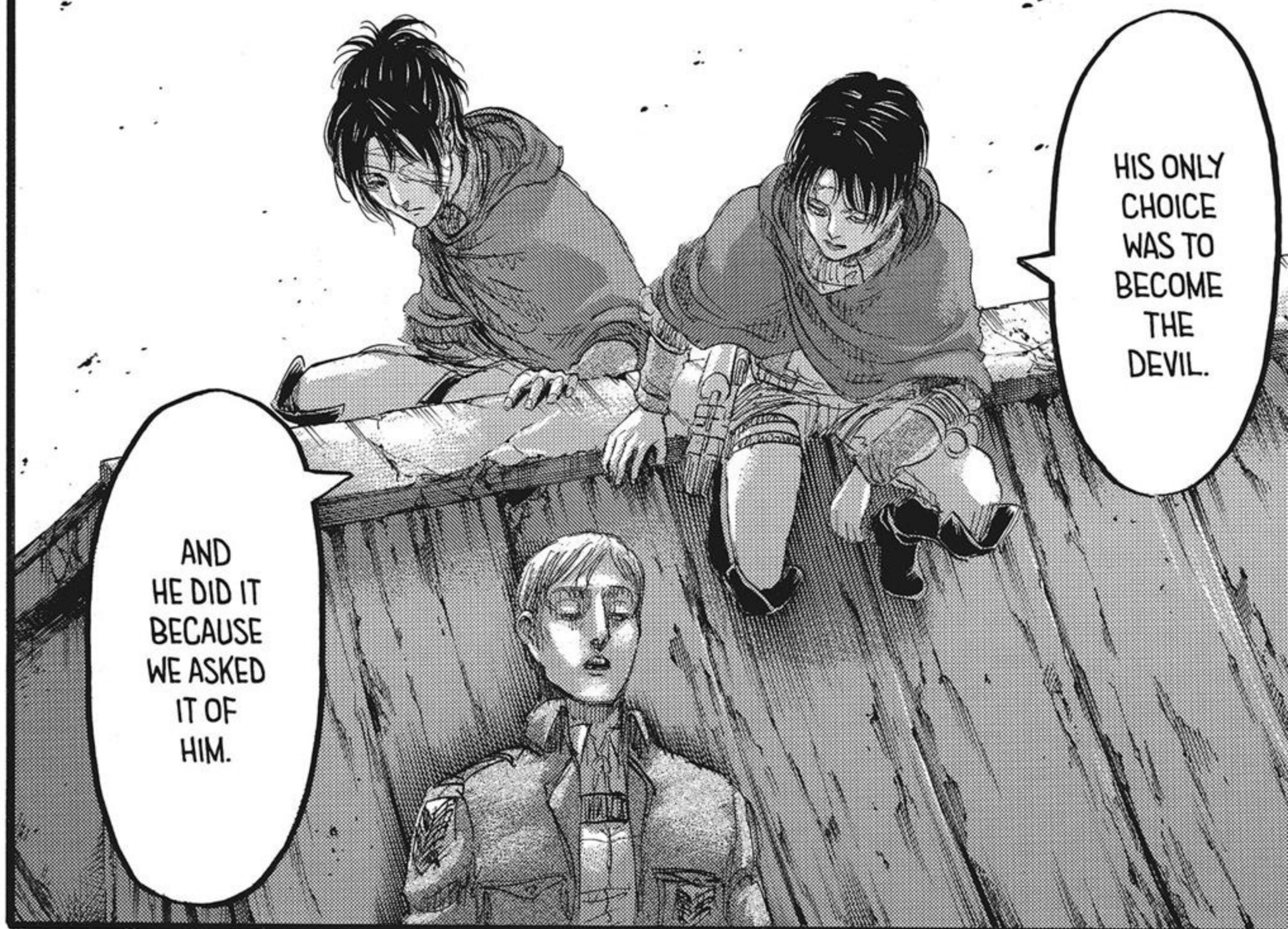












AND
HE DID IT
BECAUSE
WE ASKED
IT OF
HIM.

HIS ONLY
CHOICE
WAS TO
BECOME
THE
DEVIL.



...BUT
WE WERE
GOING TO
CALL HIM
RIGHT
BACK INTO
IT.



LIKE
YOU
WERE.



HE WAS
FINALLY
ABOUT TO
BE FREE
FROM THIS
HELL...



I
THINK
IT'S
TIME...

...FOR
US TO
LET HIM
REST.



...HE'S
ALREADY
DEAD.

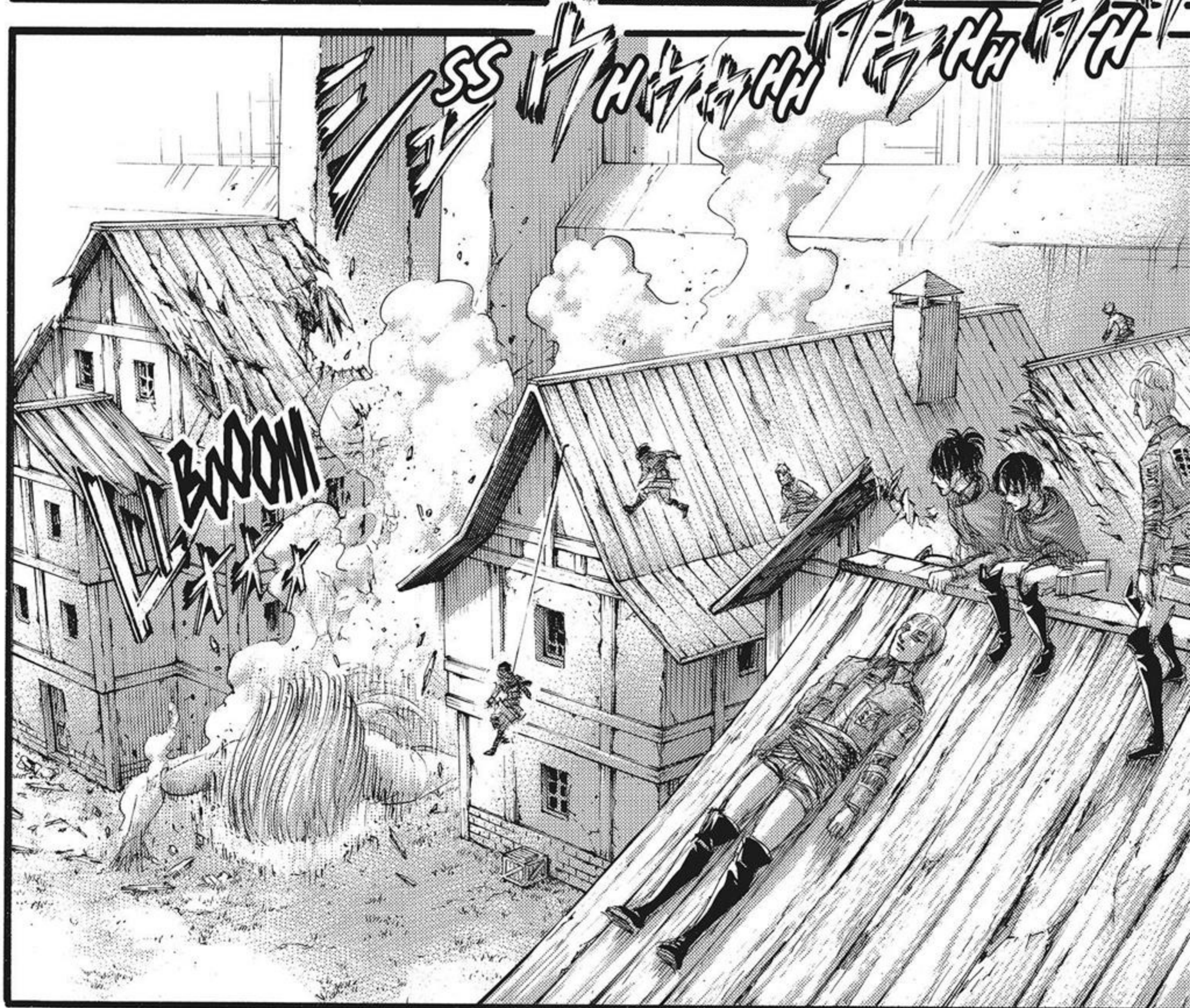


BUT
IT'S
GOING
TO HAVE
TO WAIT.

I
KNOW I
SAID I'D
TAKE THE
BEAST
TITAN
DOWN...



ERWIN...





ATTACK on TITAN